

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

CHAMBERS OF
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JUDGE

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November 2, 2005

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RE: All-Span Inc. v. USA Dept. of Homeland Security, et al.
Civil Action No. 04-1420 JJF

Dear Mr. Ardizzi:

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16(b) and Local Rule 16.2, the Court requests that counsel confer and submit to the Court a Proposed Pretrial Scheduling Order on or before **Monday, November 21, 2005**. If, as of the date of this letter, the Defendant(s) has not yet entered an appearance and/or answered or otherwise pled, it shall be the responsibility of counsel for the Plaintiff to notify the Defendant of this request.

Enclosed is a sample form of Order which should serve as a basis for your discussions. If there is no demand for a jury trial or if the parties waive trial by jury, trial can be scheduled within four (4) to nine (9) months from the date of filing of a proposed scheduling order. When discussing the schedule of this matter, please account for all the events that can adversely affect your preparation for the trial.

If either party believes that a conference with the Court is needed, please direct any requests or questions regarding the scheduling and management of the above matter to Case Manager Debbie Krett at (302) 573-6168.

Sincerely,


JOSEPH J. FARNAN, JR.

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Enclosure
cc: Clerk, U.S. District Court